

## Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 8, 1902.

## LOCAL MATTERS

**Fun rises tomorrow at 5:30 a. m. and sets 8:38 p. m. High water at 7:54 a. m. and 8:20 p. m.**

**WEATHER FROM ALEXANDRIA.**—For this section, rain followed by clearing and colder tonight. Wedne day fair and cold; brisk to high northwesterly winds.

**CONFEDERATE VETERANS.**—The regular meeting of R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, was held at their hall last night, Commander P. F. Gorman in the chair.

A communication from a joint committee of the Daughters of the Confederacy in reference to the crosses of honor was received and a committee appointed to confer with them.

Commander Gorman made his annual report, showing the prosperous condition of the camp, after which the annual election of officers was held with the following result: Commander, E. C. Graham; First Lieutenant, Commander, K. Kemper; Second Lieutenant, Commander, Andrew Sullivan; Third Lieutenant, Commander, E. H. O'Brien; Adjutant, S. C. Boush; Treasurer, W. W. Sherwood; Chaplain, Rev. F. J. Brooke; Surgeon, Dr. J. S. Foster; Quartermaster, R. M. Latham; Officer of the Day, Alexander Lyles; Vidette, Oscar Tubman; Color Bearer, J. W. Sutherland; J. J. Davidson, T. W. Whitely and F. S. Blackburn, executive committee.

The following were appointed a committee to make arrangements for the proper observance of Memorial Day, May 24, next: Comrades F. J. Davidson, G. Wm. Ramsey, Thos. Perry, Edgar Warfield and A. C. Wyckoff.

**CONCERT AT THE SEMINARY.**—A concert in the interest of the Ladies' Sewing Society of Seminary Hall was held last night at Lykens Hall which was kindly loaned for the occasion by Mr. L. M. Blackford, principal of the Episcopal High School. There was a large and appreciative audience in attendance. Those taking part in the concert were the Misses Goodwin, of Washington, who are so favorably known on the "Hill," in addition to these ladies, Messrs. Chapman and Walke of the Seminary, sang some of their favorite selections. The accompaniments were beautifully rendered by Mrs. B. K. Masie and Miss Margaret Mott. The orchestra was also in attendance and added to the pleasure of the entertainment. The proceeds of the concert were devoted to missions.

**THE KRETOL COMPANY.**—The committee appointed by stockholders of the Kretol Chemical Company to devise a plan for reorganizing the company on the basis of a lower capitalization, held another meeting in Washington yesterday afternoon at the office of Mr. R. W. Brown. The plan of reorganization recently outlined in the Gazette was virtually decided on, and after the settlement of a few minor details it will be reported to the stockholders for ratification or amendment. A meeting of the directors of the Roric Air Cushion Truss Company, which is one of the allied Brown enterprises, was held last night, but its proceedings were not made public. The first shipments of products of the Kretol Company since Capt. Knox became receiver were made today.

**FLOWER THIEVES.**—Complaint is again made by persons owning lots in the cemetery adjoining this city of the depredations of flower thieves. It has become a common occurrence for flowers to be taken a few hours after having been placed on graves. In past years this species of vandalism has occasioned much annoyance to people who, in respect to the memory of their dead, procure flowers for their graves only to have them removed almost as speedily as they are placed on the mound. Sometimes thoughtless children have been found to be the depredators, but in other instances the parties are known to have been adults. Should they be caught they will be made to pay the penalty prescribed for such acts.

**A NON-EXETER.**—The mild spring weather of the early part of yesterday was short-lived and late in the evening clouds and southeast wind followed. Early in the night there was light rain which was followed by more copious showers and northeast wind. The weather grew tempestuous, and all night long there was wind and rain. This morning the temperature was raw. The rain was still falling with the wind coming in heavy flaps, which in some instances demolished umbrellas, or rendered it impossible to hold them. Later in the day the wind diminished in force and the rain ceased to fall.

**POLK MILLER'S CONCERT.**—The late Bill Nye in speaking of Polk Miller's performances said: "Polk Miller does not advertise goods he can not deliver. He describes and illustrates the Old Virginia plantation negro, and I am free to say that he does it. After hearing the negro dialect given by a Caucasian, and the folk song and dialect of the negro given in Cork and Cockney at St. James Hall, London, I am glad to hear Mr. Miller correct this misconception with the real thing." Mr. Miller will be at the Opera House tomorrow night.

**AN ALEXANDRIA ARTIST.**—"Fine Weather" and "A Shower," the two paintings in Mr. Ernest Allen's window on King street, are admired by both amateurs and connoisseurs. The originals were by L. Chialiva, and the copies are specimens of the skill of Miss A. Justice Angelo, of this city. Miss Angelo is a graduate of the Free Art School of Alexandria, and is now in the art school of the Corcoran Gallery of Washington. These paintings are admired by all who view them, as they reflect much credit upon the young lady artist.

**COMPLAINT FROM KING GEORGE.**—A letter from King George county says: "For some years the fare from the wharves in this county to Washington has been 75 cents, or a round trip fare to Washington and back, of \$1.25. Now the people here have to pay the 75 cents fare for each way—an extra cost of 25 cents for the trip to and from the national capital—and they don't like this change at all."

**A. T. U.**—A regular meeting of Alexandria Typographical Union, No. 225, was held at 415 Cameron street last night. Considerable business was transacted. After the meeting adjourned, refreshments were served, which were much enjoyed.

**WEDDING AT THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.**—One of the most interesting social events of the season took place at noon today in Immanuel Chapel, Theological Seminary, near this city. This was the marriage of Mr. S. F. Houston, of Philadelphia, Pa., to Mrs. Charlotte Shepherd Brown, sister-in-law of Mrs. Angus Crawford. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Angus Crawford, D. D., Dean of the Seminary, assisted by the Rev. Lucien Lee Kinsolving, D. D., Bishop of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil. As the bride procession advanced up the aisle to the altar the strains of the wedding hymn sung by a quartette choir, with Mrs. B. K. Masie presiding at the organ, filled the chapel. The bride, who was beautifully attired in a gray crepe travelling costume, was given away by Mr. George Harding, of Philadelphia. Before the benediction the hymn, "O Perfect Love all Human Thought Transcending," was sung by the choir. The chapel was handsomely decorated by a Washington florist and there were present a number of friends of the bride and groom from Philadelphia, Washington and Seminary Hill. Among the guests present were Dr. and Mrs. Woodward, sister of the groom; Mr. George Harding, a cousin of the bride, and Provost Harrison of the University of Pennsylvania. Immediately after the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at "The Wilderness," the residence of Dr. Crawford. Mr. and Mrs. Houston left shortly after this on an extended wedding tour. The bride was the recipient of many elegant gifts. The groom was accompanied by a number of friends, gentlemen and ladies, who arrived at the Fayette street depot in the Pullman car "Florence" and an engine. A number of hacks were in waiting and the party were driven to the Seminary. After the ceremony and the wedding breakfast the newly married couple were driven to the special train on which they embarked on their wedding trip.

**POLICE COURT ITEMS.**—Perry Newby, a colored individual, was before the Mayor this morning charged with contempt of court in refusing to appear as a witness in a case after having been duly summoned. He went into a rambling history of his movements on the day he was wanted in the Police Court which was far from satisfactory to the court, and was fined \$5, or given 30 days on the chain gang.

A Washingtonian, charged with improper conduct on King street last night, was fined \$5. A companion who had been guilty of contempt of court while the case was being examined, was also fined \$5.

Robert Campbell, a soldier, was the next delinquent ushered into the dock. Officer Gill testified that about half-past nine o'clock last night the prisoner ran into the street, seized a brick and was in the act of hurling it into a crowd of persons in front of the electric railway station on Royal street when he seized his arm and frustrated the act. Campbell attempted to overpower the officer, but the bluecoat was too much for the son of Mars and threw him on his back. A special officer from Washington who was present assisted Mr. Gill in carrying the soldier to the station house. The Mayor fined him \$10.

Nancy Jackson, a small colored girl, charged with assaulting a white girl of her own age, was dismissed with a reprimand.

J. D. Carter, of Lincoln, Fairfax county, has reported to the police that he lost a box containing proprietary medicines from his wagon while in this city a few days ago.

Eight lodgers were accommodated at the station house last night.

Two detectives from Washington were here yesterday looking for a colored woman who had been assaulted in that city recently by her husband. The woman is a sister of a colored man named Arrington, and it is said her skull was fractured.

**RIVER NOTES.**—The river has been lashed into a foam nearly all day by the high wind, which completely cleared it of sailing vessels. Steamers, however, have been running as usual, but most of those arriving from below have been behind-time. The tide has been very high and the waves driven as they were toward this side of the river surged into portions of the Strand and splashed under and in some instances over wharves. The river's surface presented but one picture—while caps scampering after each other—the wind roared in fitful flaps. In the afternoon the wind diminished in force somewhat and the rain ceased to fall. There are indications of westerly winds and clearer weather shortly.

A small pile driver is being rebuilt at the wharf at the foot of Prince street. The driver is the property of Mr. Wm. Rogers and will be used for general work in the river.

The large steam pile driver belonging to Mr. William Backs is being fitted up for a repairing cruise among the wharves along the lower river. The wharf at River View is to be rebuilt, and considerable work is to be done to Stiff's, Stewart's and Somerset Beach wharves.

Capt. Chas. Posey, first officer of the steamer Washington of the Norfolk and Washington Line, has been made commander of that steamer, vice Capt. Tull, who has been transferred to the Washington wharf and made wharf captain, in charge of the steamer New York News and of the general overhauling of the boats of the line.

The steamer T. V. Arrowsmith, one of the oldest steamers afloat is having her upper works rebuilt.

**WANTS ONE HUNDRED HANDS.**—An item in this column yesterday under "Manufacturing Notes" called attention to the fact that Mr. S. Pearson, of the Alexandria Overall Factory, which is now furnishing employment to over one hundred persons, could utilize the labor of equally as many more. An advertisement elsewhere announces that Mr. Pearson has taken a contract for goods which will take him six months to fill, and he wants one hundred persons, who can do the work at their own homes, to help him to turn out the articles.

**THE FISHERY.**—The high wind has, of course, caused another temporary lull in fishing operations. The fair and mild weather of yesterday was supposed to be propitious for bauls, but the operators were in most cases sadly disappointed with results. In one instance an extra-large seine was laid out and after having been drawn to shore only between two and three dollars' worth of fish were caught. Affairs at Fishtown remain unchanged. There are virtually no arrivals yet.

**COUNTY COURT.**—Judge J. M. Love, presiding.—The final report in the Garzise road case, in favor of opening the new road, was submitted, all differences having been amicably adjusted.

Argument was heard in the Mackey road case, the testimony in this case having been heard last Friday. The judge announced that he would personally look over the ground between this time and the next session of court.

Court then adjourned for the term.

**DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE.**—The city democratic committee will meet at 8 o'clock tonight to decide upon a date for the primary to nominate candidates for Commonwealth's Attorney and City Sergeant. Mr. Leonard Marbury, the present Commonwealth's Attorney, has no opposition, but City Sergeant Robert H. Cox will be opposed by ex-Alderman W. B. Dubie.

**WEDDING.**—Mr. Carroll Lester Hurdle, of the Southern Railway office, in Washington, and Miss Carrie Willard, of Berkeley Springs, W. Va., were married yesterday morning at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, by Rev. E. V. Regester. Mr. and Mrs. Hurdle will reside in Washington.

## LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

The City Council meets tonight. Mr. Radolph Norris had one of his feet painfully mashed while at work in the county a day or two since.

It is said that a number of householders have entered into a combine not to buy shad until they sell at 25 cents apiece.

The Knights of Pythias of Ballston and vicinity have purchased two lots of ground in that village, and will, during the coming summer, erect a handsome public hall.

Rev. Dr. Skellinger, of Washington, will deliver a lecture on "Ben-Hur" in the Baptist Church on Thursday night for the benefit of the Sunday school of that church. The lecture will be illustrated by 140 views.

At the meeting last night of the Alexandria Light Infantry a vote of thanks was tendered the ladies who so successfully conducted the recent fair held for the benefit of the company.

A statue of St. Expedius, a Roman soldier, has been unveiled in St. Mary's Church. The statue was presented by a lady, a member of the congregation of St. Mary's Church.

Samuel Sumbly, colored, for many years employed at the oyster bar of Harvey's restaurant in Washington, died in that city yesterday. He formerly lived in this city.

A musical entertainment will be given at the Railroad Reading Rooms tonight after which refreshments will be served. The proceeds will be devoted to the piano fund.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Oscar Parrall, of Columbia, South Carolina, and Catherine E. Dunnington, of Washington.

Mr. Joseph Nowland had one of the fingers of his left hand cut off while at work at a lathe in the Southern Railway shops this morning.

**SUCCESSFUL ADVERTISEMENTS.**—The man who talks in his advertisements much as he would talk to a customer over the counter will not make a mistake. His announcements will be read and will be as convincing as his direct talks. This is the judgment of a successful merchant who continues to supervise his own newspaper advertisements which he employs a man to write. —[Philadelphia Record.]

**Shot in His Left Leg.** For all kinds of sores, burns, bruises, or other wounds DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a sure cure. Skin diseases yield to it at once. Never fails in case of piles. Cooling and healing. None genuine but DeWitt's. Beware of counterfeits. "I suffered for many years from a sore caused by a gun shot wound in my left leg," says A. S. Fuller, English, Ind. "It would not heal and gave me much trouble. I used all kinds of remedies to no purpose until I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A few boxes completely cured me." For sale by E. S. Leachester & Sons.

**I Have Just Received a** contract running for six months which will enable me to supply at least 100 persons with steady work at home. Those desiring work will kindly send in their names at once and work will be given out within a week. All goods will be called for and delivered. Apply to

S. PEARSON, Alexandria Overall Factory.

**Fine Stationery** In All Tints.

**Ping Pong,** Checkers, Dominoes, Playing Cards and all Parlor Games.

**R. E. KNIGHT'S,** 621 King Street. Sporting Goods Always. A Full Stock on Hand.

**OTTESBURN LITHIA WATER.**—We are agents for this celebrated Lithia Water and keep constantly on hand a full and fresh supply. WATFIELD & HALL, Cor. Prince and Fairfax streets.

**WE KEEP A FULL SUPPLY OF THE** CELEBRATED KETOL REMEDIES, for the cure of Eczema, Diphtheria, Hair Tonic, Velvet Lotion, Bath Solution and Catarrh Cure. WATFIELD & HALL, Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

**CAN ASPARAGUS** reduced to 20c can. This asparagus is packed where grown insuring all of its freshness and delicacy of flavor. Asparagus Tins 15c. W. P. WOOLLS & SONS.

**CANNED PEAS.**—Small and extra small sizes. CANNED PEAS for sale at reduced prices by J. C. MILBURN.

## DRY GOODS.

## IRRESISTIBLE PRICES.

Day by day we are crowding out this Friedlander stock by offering bargains that are unapproachable. Here are a few items that will make you hurry—the kind that daily crowd our store.

## Ladies' Suits Sacrificed.

Extraordinary offering in Ladies' Eton and Coat Spring Suits, in Venetian cloth, chevrons, and serge—some silk lined. Jacket a single and double breasted, m. line at k trimming. Others with velvet blouse dip fronts; some with velvet blouse, skirts trimmed to match jackets; seven-gored flares. Others with full circular flare flounce. Striped man-tailored garments; all sizes; all colors. Friedlander's price, \$14.98. Dyrenforth's price, \$12.98.

Ladies' Gray and Brown Homespun Suits, in blouse and belted effects; jackets trimmed with beautiful cut steel buttons and moire strapped seams; silk lined; skirt with full flaring flounce, with trimmings to match jackets—up-to-date man-tailored costume. Friedlander's price, \$21.48. Dyrenforth's price, \$10.98.

Ladies' Spring Eton Suits, in Cheviot and Venetian cloths, stylish eff. etc, in wanted colors. Coats with velvet collar and pretty turn-back cuffs; seams strapped with moire velvet; skirts with full circular flare and trimmed to match jackets. Friedlander's price, \$25.48. Dyrenforth's price, \$12.98.

Double-breasted Eton Suits with dip front; coats trimmed with silk revers, moire blouse, silk lined, with silk skirt with seven-gored flare and circular flounce; in all of the wanted shades. Friedlander's price, \$27.48. Dyrenforth's price, \$13.98.

Blouse Eton Suits, in Venetian and Cheviot cloths, with velvet collar, bell sleeve and turn-back cuffs; handsomely lined, trimmed with moire velvet; skirt with seven-gored flare and trimmed to match jackets. Friedlander's price, \$24.98. Dyrenforth's price, \$14.98.

Ladies' Jacket-back Suits, with belt and latest dip front, silk lined, single-breasted, moire skirt, double moire skirt, trimmed with silk, full flaring circular flounce with ruffles, 10 rows stitching; in cheviot and Venetian cloths, in all shades and sizes; the newest spring styles. Friedlander's price, \$36.98. Dyrenforth's price, \$18.98.

## DYRENFORTH

## OUTFITTING CO.,

Successors to Sam'l Friedlander & Co.

416 7th Street, N. W. WASHINGTON.

## AMUSEMENTS.

## "The Illustrated Ballads,"

AN ENTERTAINMENT For the Benefit of St. Paul's Church to be Held in St. Paul's Parish Hall.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 11. ADMISSION 25 CENTS.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. ap7 5t

## POLK MILLER,

With His Famous Tobacco Factory Negro Quartette,

AT THE OPERA HOUSE, WEDNESDAY EVENING, April 9, 1902.

ADMISSION: Reserved Seats, 50c. Dress Circle, . . . 35c. Gallery, . . . 25c.

Advance sale at Warfield's Drug Store, opposite Opera House.

Not a Lecture, but an Evening of Story and Song on

Old Times Down South ap3 6t

## WANTED.

TEN INTELLIGENT BOYS to operate handkerchief and suspender machines.

ALEXANDRIA MFG. CO., Cor. Queen and Union Sts. mar 27.

## WANTED.

TEN MORE GIRLS to learn Shirt Making; new machines; well lighted and well ventilated building; steady work all the year at good wages. Apply to S. PEARSHAM, Alexandria Overall Factory. mh25 1m

## PROPOSALS.

FOR MYER, VA., APRIL 5, 1902.—F. Realed proposals, in triplicate, for constructing barracks will be received here until 10 A. M., May 5, 1902. U. S. reserves right to reject or accept any or all proposals or any part thereof. Information on application. Envelopes containing bids should be indorsed "Proposals for Barracks" addressed Capt. W. F. CLARK, Qu. Mr. ap7 4t; my24 3

## Compare Our Prices

With what you are paying and see if you are buying right.

Choice Evaporated Peaches, 8c per lb. Large Black Mesty Prunes, 5c per lb. Small Do. (sliced) 10c per lb. Extra Sifted Early June Peas very small, 12c can. 3 cans Table Peaches, 25c. 3 cans Boston Baked Beans, 25c. Cream Succotash, 10c can.

W. P. WOOLLS & SONS Royal and Wolfe Streets.

LIMA BEANS—15 sacks extra choice Lima Beans for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

EVAPORATED CREAM in 1-lb. tins, just received and for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

## DRY GOODS.

## SUPERB BARGAINS

That Will Bring The Usual Crowds.

We couldn't expect nor deserve your patronage by doing as well as others; we must do better. It is our ambition to sell the best for the least, and this constantly increasing business serves as eloquent evidence that our efforts are meeting with success.

Fast Black India Silks, 50c value, at 39c yard. White Habutai Wash Silk, 39c value, 29c yard. 27-inch Wash Silks, 69c value, black and white, at 49c yard.

Moire Black Velour, 99c yard. White Moire Silk Velour, 99c yard. Black Silk Landowne, 98c yard. Satin Finish Broadcloth, the \$1.00 value, at 89c yard.

Fine Twill Henriettas in all new spring shades and black, at 25c yard. All-wool Nuns Veiling, colors and black, 50c value, at 39c yard.

All-wool Cheviots, black and navy, 60c value, at 39c yard. Ladies' Walking Skirts, heavily stitched with lace flounce, \$2.50 value, at \$1.98.

Ladies' Black Marooned Underskirts, deep accordion plait ruffia, \$1.50 value, at 98c. Ladies' Muslin Drawers, tucked umbrella ruffia, lace trimming, at 25c.

Special Lot Ladies' Muslin Gowns, Drawers, and Corsets; former price 69c, at 49c. Ladies' Cambric Corset Covers, 11c. Beautiful line Ladies' White Waists \$1. New line Ladies' Colored Waists 49c.

Ladies' W. rappers, navy, black and red, 00c value, 49c. Infants' Cashmere Coats 89c. Large line Infants' Mull Caps 25c and 50c. Ladies' Summer Corsets 23c a pair.

Ladies' and Misses' Short Corsets, made of fine 1 ght weight batiste, 99c value, at 49c. 50 pieces Swiss and Malmesbury Embroideries, 12 inches wide, 25c yard.

50 pieces Point de Paris Laces and Insertions, 25c value, 12 1/2c yard. White Organdy, 7 1/2 inches wide, 39c value, 25c yard.

One more case of these Bleached Towels 17c each. Black Velvet Ribbons 1 1/2 to No. 2, choice 13c a piece.

Ladies' Bleached Ribbed Vests, tape neck and arms, 10c each, at 5c. 1,000 yards White Cambric 6 3/4c yard. 2,000 yards Bleached Cotton 5c yard.

Fast Black Lawn Remnants, 12 1/2c value, at 6 1/2c yard. White Pique Remnants 9 1/2c. Sea Island Brown Cotton, worth 7c, at 5c. Infants' White Flannel 12 1/2c yard. Old lot Yarn-wide Percales 3 1/2c yard.

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## SPECIAL SALE

FOR THIS WEEK.

1,000 yards 36-inch Bleached Cotton, as many yards as you want. No remnants. Value 8c. We are going to sell them at 5c.

3,000 yards Bates' Seersucker. Regular 12 1-2c goods. Will be sold at 10c.

2,500 yards 36-inch Percales, solid colors, red, dark blue, black, light blue, garnet; also black and white figures, blue and white figures, red and white figures, to be sold at 8c.

6 pieces Bonita Silk, value 25c. This week 15c.

Another lot of 69c Wash Silks. Choice 49c a yard.

GREAT REDUCTION IN

## SPRING DRESS GOODS.

25c Nun's Veiling, colors light blue, pink and cream at 15c.

Black Melrose, 75c quality at 50c.

New line of Ladies' and Children's Parasols.

ISAAC EICHBERG & SON.

## TACKETT, BAKER &amp; CO'S

## STORE NEWS.